

Göttingen, 31 Dec. 1860.

2268. *Spumula* sp. *Siberianus* det.
○ 2340. *Yucca guianensis* Aubl. Pl.
○ 546. *Hoffmannia macrophylla* (Nitzsch) : *Hippuris*
and *Hoffmannia* prove identical.
- 1980. *Coutarea speciosa* Aubl.
- 1994. *Arachnothrix reflexa* Pl. *confusata* & the
year I have kept up.
- 586. *Rondeletia* sp.
796. *Sipanea pretensis* Aubl.
- 588. *Maunthia calycosa* Gr.
- 1997. - *picata* W.
- 1823. *Spizelia Anthelmia* L.
○ 543 $\frac{1}{2}$. *Chiococca parvifolia* Walpoh.
- 1991. - *angustifolia* Mart.
- 2587. *Ixora furca* Kunth.
○ 1987. *Faramia* sp.
○ 2012. *Phytotria crassa* Kunth.
○ 1983. *Palicourea* sp.
○ 2342. - sp.
- 2339. *Cephaelis laevis* W.
- 2004. *Spumacou tenuis* L.
○ 2000. *Yarrera parviflora* Mey.
○ 2006. - *Yarrlingiana* Pl.
678. - *umbellata* Mey.
- 609. *Mitracarpum villosum* Cham.

My Dear Dr. Ara Gray,

Before the end of this year, to which I wish
you a happy return, I acknowledge the receipt
of the two first proofs: I like much the man-
ner how they are printed. - Your notes of Sept.
27. and Oct. 4. arrived in due time: I could
however not find no. 1106, nor 1299., so I did
not answer immediately, and I was so sen-
sible about my terrible mistake of mistaking
a *Hesperis* a *Rhamnus*, that I was ashamed
to write. May it be the forgotten blunder, I
ever was guilty of: at least I am much
obliged to you, that you found it before going
to press, and it will be a warning, how far
a wrong, pronounced idea may lead into error,
in this case the presumption, that a green,
valvate whorl could not be a corolla. To any
excuse may be said, that my sketch, as far
as it went, proved quite correct, but it was
quite unpardonable, that a wholly adequate placenta,
as I had drawn it, was presumed to be a mistake
in observation instead of an exact one, and that
I did not rather sacrifice the last flower before
giving a name to the plant. - Among mislaid

When are the rest
You had told me of Melastomaceae

